

## Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, OCT. 12, 1903.

## LOCAL NEWS.

sun rises tomorrow at 6:15 a. m. and sets 5:30 p. m. High water at 12:49 a. m. and 1:18 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section a fair tonight and Tuesday; light to fresh northerly winds.

## The Late Storm.

The meteorological conditions which set in last Thursday continued with brief intermissions until after midnight last night, when the rain ceased to fall. This morning broke with traces of blue sky in the west and indications of a clear, a great desideratum after days of high wind and tempest. Yesterday was a rainy and dismal day, and but few persons were on the streets. Most people preferred remaining in warm houses, as the temperature without was raw and conditions were decidedly uncomfortable. The storm blew itself out without inflicting material damage hereabouts, although devastation and loss of life followed in its wake in other localities. Alexandria is generally immune from the forces of nature, convulsions or epidemics, blessings that most of us fail to appreciate. While people of this city were nesting in comfortable houses yesterday reading of terrible experiences of neighboring cities, others were battling with wind and flood, while bodies were being tossed upon the shores of the Virginia coast.

Reports from the lower river and bay show that both steamers and sailing craft had a rough time during the prevalence of the storm. The steamer Washington of the Norfolk line arrived yesterday morning after having had a good shake-up in the bay Saturday night. The Norfolk which left here the same night for Norfolk had a similar experience on her trip down the bay. She arrived here this morning and while coming into the wharf her engine for some reason could not be reversed and she proceeded on to Washington without stopping here.

The tug J. S. Hoskins, which was caught in the storm while towing the steamer Belle Haven from this port to Baltimore, put in at St. Marys, is, as far as is known, safe. She left here Friday.

The Calvert, of the Weems Steamboat Company, arrived in Baltimore from Washington at 3:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She left here Thursday evening. She had a very rough voyage in the bay, the boat being turned around no less than three times. The steersman was thrown to the deck, striking against a cuspidor, and was pitched backward and forward across the pilot-house with such force that he thought he would be killed. The mate jumped to the wheel, and it was with great difficulty that the boat was turned around and headed in its proper direction. The Calvert left Baltimore last night at 11 o'clock on her return trip.

## U. D. C.

A large number of members were present in Lee Camp Hall on last Tuesday morning at the first meeting of Mary Custis Lee Chapter for this season. Delegates to the Norfolk convention were instructed on all points of interest to the chapter: Mrs. Dabney Herndon, Miss Dinkins, Mrs. Frank King, Mrs. John R. Zimmerman and Mrs. James E. Alexander were elected at a previous meeting. Some of these ladies being unable to attend, Mrs. James E. Alexander and Mrs. E. H. O'Brien were elected to represent the chapter at both the Norfolk and Charleston conventions. Resolution of sympathy were tendered the 17th Va. Regt. Chapter, on the recent death of its president. A letter of sympathy was sent to the family of Mrs. Jefferson Davis, with earnest hopes of her speedy recovery. This lady, her daughters and her granddaughters have long been members of this chapter. As fifty dollars a year, for five years, had been promised for the current expenses of Lee Camp Hall, a check for that amount, for the year 1903 was sent Mr. Edgar Warfield, chairman of the committee on building. The sum of one hundred and five dollars, headed by fifty dollars from Miss Mary Custis Lee, had been subscribed by members. This was turned over to Mrs. E. H. O'Brien, chairman and treasurer of the building fund, with an expressed desire to add to it from time to time, that the new home of Lee Camp may soon be paid for.

## Interchange of Pulpits.

Several of the ministers of this city exchanged pulpits yesterday. At the Second Presbyterian Church the morning service was conducted by Rev. F. J. Brooke, D. D., the pastor, and in the evening the pulpit was filled by Rev. Dr. George L. Hunt, of the Baptist Church. At the latter church Rev. J. H. S. Ewell, of the Methodist Protestant Church, officiated in the morning, and Dr. Brooke, in the evening. Dr. Hunt relieved Rev. Mr. Ewell at the morning service in the Methodist Protestant Church. In all of the other churches the pulpits were occupied by the regular clergymen. The occasional interchange of pulpits was at one time a pleasant feature of the churches of Alexandria, but during late years it has been of rare occurrence. Members of both should not believe it a feature which should not have been abandoned, as by it an opportunity was afforded worshippers to hear sermons from most of the resident clergy of the city.

## Inspection of the Southern.

The directors of the Southern Railway Company and their invited guests, accompanied by the executive and managing officers of the company, passed through this city yesterday on their annual inspection trip over the Southern Railway lines to note improvements in the way of double track, grade reduction and curve elimination, as well as to give consideration to further improvement of the property.

## A Growing Interest.

Every year the newspaper advertiser gets a larger return from his advertising investment. More and more people look to the newspaper columns for the announcements of merchants and others, and eventually nobody will think of any other method of publicity, except as an adjunct to the newspaper.

The students of the Theological Seminary will give a concert at Groveton schoolhouse on the 16th instant for the benefit of the chapel now in course of

## THE SHOOTING OF JOHN RYAN.

Further Hearing of the Case—Strange Divergence from Previous Testimony—Court Adjourned to Alexandria Hospital—Ryan's Evidence.

The case of Maud Reynolds, charged with being accessory to the shooting of John Ryan in Frank McLearen's saloon on the night of the 1st instant, occupied much of the time of the Police Court this morning. This was the third hearing, and, as on the previous occasions, a large number of spectators were attracted.

Several persons who live or who are occupied in the neighborhood of 305 Prince street, where the woman resided recently, were put on the stand. Their evidence was mainly to the effect that they had seen the accused going to and coming from the house, Mr. John Clapton, driver of the Relief truck, saw her pass up Prince street alone about eight o'clock on the night of the shooting. He also saw John Macaboy pass early in the afternoon. Two other men were with him. Witness recognized Ed. Faust as one of them.

Mrs. Wm. Wade said she went to her husband's place of business on the night of the shooting, having left Washington shortly after nine o'clock. She recognized the prisoner as the woman who was at the saloon that night with several men. She could identify none of them except Faust, who was the barkeeper. These persons were in an upstairs room and she ordered them out, a command they all obeyed. The prisoner had told the witness she was a married woman and pointed to one of the men as her husband. When asked if she did not threaten to "tell the whole thing," Mrs. Wade denied having made such a threat.

Other persons who had been summoned testified to applications having been made to them by parties, supposed to be the suspects, for homes. Their evidence cast no additional light upon the mysterious shooting.

Tallie Coffin, the barkeeper at McLearen's, followed. He averred that Robert Cogan, Harry Robinson and Harry Sims (witnesses who had on previous occasions stated that they were in the pool room when the shooting occurred) were in the bar at the time Ryan was shot. Witness, however, said he could not say what sort of a looking man the individual was who used the pistol. He repeated his former story to the effect that he was on his way from the bar to the yard with two bottles of beer when he heard the shot. He further stated that no one was in the pool room at the time of the shooting. Robinson had previously asked witness for a match with which to light up the kitchen. In answer to a question witness said any one was allowed to light up this part of the house. Coffin said a woman was in the yard at the time, but he could not say the prisoner was the one. He never saw her but once before she was arrested. On that occasion she asked witness if he had seen John O'Connell. He recognized Macaboy as an acquaintance.

Mr. T. H. Fagin testified that he saw a woman dressed in black and in company with a man pass from Wade's saloon toward Duke street on the night of the shooting. A man who was lame followed after the couple and seemed to have some difficulty in keeping up with them. [Macaboy is lame, suffering from a sore leg.] Witness also saw another man start to follow the trio, but he subsequently turned back. Harry Sims then took the stand. He reiterated a previous statement by saying he, Robert Cogan and Harry Robinson were on the pool table with their backs to the door leading into the yard when the shooting took place; said he saw a man come from the yard before the shooting; saw a woman in the yard. When asked how he could see behind him, he said he heard the movements of the man and woman. Witness did not know the man who did the shooting, nor could he identify him; saw Ryan go to the yard and return to the bar and later heard the shot. The man who fired the shot ran against the rear of his eagerness to escape by the rear of the building. Witness said he never saw the woman before but recognized Macaboy.

Harry Robinson followed. He said Coffin directed him to light up the kitchen and gave him matches for the purpose; witness said Cogan was with him on the pool table with their faces toward Duke street. [Sims had stated that they were facing Henry street.] The man who shot Ryan followed him from the yard to the bar; did not recognize the assailant, nor had he seen the woman before. Witness recognized Macaboy as a previous acquaintance. At this juncture the court adjourned to the Alexandria Hospital where Ryan's statement of the affair was heard. After the wounded man had been sworn he fully recognized the woman as the one who was with the man who shot him. He said he had met the woman and later drank with her and Wade at Wade's place a week before the shooting. He could not say who the man was.

On returning to the Mayor's Office Officer Garvey and acting Chief Knight testified to the woman refusing to tell them anything about the shooting after her arrest in Washington. Mr. Boothe asked for the discharge of the prisoner, as the law provides; that there was no evidence connecting her with the offense.

Mr. Brent, representing the State, said the case should go to the grand jury. The Mayor, however, in summing up the case said he would only prosecute the woman for concealing the offense and offenders and he imposed a fine of one hundred dollars on her. Macaboy and Faust were discharged, as there was no evidence to hold them. The woman at first noted an appeal from the Mayor's decision, but later paid the fine imposed and was discharged.

## Police Court.

[Mayor G. L. Simpson presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Daniel Craig, colored, arrested by Officers Smith and Garvey charged with assaulting Rebecca Quill, colored, was fined \$10.

A white man, arrested by Officer Nicholson charged with being drunk on the street, was fined \$5.

Walter Seales, colored, arrested by acting Chief Knight and Officer Lyles, charged with carrying concealed weapons, was fined \$20.

Wm. Chapman, colored, arrested by Officer Beach charged with assaulting Hattie Lee, colored, was fined \$5.

A man named Walker was knocked down by a carriage on King street last night. His injuries were not serious.

## Deaths and Funerals.

Mr. H. H. Hastings, an old and well-known resident, died at the residence of his son-in-law, Officer Samuel Ticer, 524 Queen street, yesterday morning at 9 o'clock. The deceased had recently been critically ill. He was 77 years old, and was a native of Wilmington, Del., but removed to Heathsville, Northumberland county, Va., in early life. At the outbreak of the civil war he became a member of a cavalry company which was organized in Northumberland county, and later was made a lieutenant in the Ninth Virginia Cavalry, serving under Gen. W. H. F. Lee. He followed the fortunes of the Southern Confederacy during the four years conflict. He was a quiet and courteous gentleman, and was respected by all who knew him.

Mrs. Mary E. Butler, wife of Mr. John W. Butler, died at her home, 312 South Patrick street, yesterday morning. The deceased lived in the house in which the fire of last Thursday night originated, and was extremely ill at that time. It will be remembered that on that occasion she had to be taken from the burning building on a mattress and removed to the house in the southern end of the row where her death occurred.

Mrs. Ellen Hortense, widow of William M. Hunter, and eldest daughter of the late Henry S. Martin, died in Washington yesterday. His remains will be brought to this city tomorrow for interment.

The remains of Albert Muehlhauser, the 12-year-old son of the late Paul Muehlhauser, whose death occurred in Cleveland, Ohio, Friday, arrived here yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. Muehlhauser, the mother of the deceased, and her daughter, Mrs. Carl Weideman. Mr. Charles Strangmann, formerly of this city and now of Buffalo, N. Y., and who is a brother of Mrs. Muehlhauser, also came here to attend the funeral, which took place from the undertaking establishment of B. Wheatley at 11 o'clock this morning.

The funeral of John H. Lindsey, who died in Washington on Thursday last, took place from St. Mary's Church in this city yesterday afternoon. A number of friends and acquaintances of the deceased attended. The services were conducted by Rev. H. J. Cutler.

## Personal.

Alderman Thomas W. Clark is confined to his home on Fayette street by sickness.

Rev. Dr. Crawford, of the Episcopal Theological Seminary, preached at Christ Church and made an earnest appeal for the further endowment of that institution. He gave an interesting and instructive sketch of the Seminary and of the noble work done by its alumni.

Mr. Lewis H. Machen, the democratic nominee for the State Senate from this district, who has been confined to his home on Queen street with neuralgia is out again.

Mr. N. L. Dold and wife left yesterday for Lexington, Va., to visit Mr. Dold's mother for a few days.

Mrs. O. P. Angelo left Saturday afternoon for Waycross, Ga., to spend the next three weeks.

Mr. Leonard J. Miller left on Saturday for Chicago to accept a position with the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad.

Rev. Father Bowden, of Old Point Comfort, is a guest at the parsonage of St. Mary's Church. It is said that he may be appointed assistant pastor of that church but this has not yet been definitely determined. Rev. Father Kelly, who was temporarily appointed assistant to Rev. H. J. Cutler and who made a host of friends during his short stay in Alexandria, has been appointed to a charge in the west.

## Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.] The docket was called and cases set. Miss Ellen Herbert was appointed administratrix of the estate of Ellen W. Whiting. Arthur Herbert, jr., N. P. T. Burke and H. R. Burke were appointed appraisers.

The will of John T. Downey was admitted to probate. His estate, valued at \$3,000, was left to his widow, who qualified as executrix.

Chas. A. Dean vs. John Nowland and Charles E. Devine vs. John Nowland, on attachment; judgment for plaintiffs and Sergeant directed to sell goods and prorate amount.

E. Goldsmith vs. F. R. Burgess; attachment; judgment for plaintiff in sum of \$50.94.

William C. Turner vs. Laura V. Clark, in chancery; decree for sale of property and appointing K. Kemper special commissioner.

## Concerts.

Lovers of music should secure their seats as early as possible for the concert to be given by the Dailey Quartet, tomorrow evening, for the benefit of Lee Camp Hall. A fine programme has been arranged and a large audience is expected to be present.

Mr. Leo Wheat has kindly offered to give a concert for the benefit of the Episcopal Theological Seminary. The concert will be held in the parish hall of Christ Church on Wednesday evening. Mr. Wheat will be assisted by local talent. His well-known reputation as a musician is sufficient to crowd the hall.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Prof. Tracy will give another illustrated temperance lecture at the Opera House tonight.

A marriage license was issued in Washington on Saturday to Walter P. Atkinson and Jennie McKeel, both of Alexandria.

A hearing was given in Washington on Saturday by Justice of the Peace Webb, in the case of W. H. Lewis in a suit for \$300 damages against the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company. Lewis was a passenger on one of the Mount Vernon trains on September 7, when a wreck occurred at Four Mile Run. He received a cut over his left eye and demanded pecuniary satisfaction. The case was taken under advisement by Justice Webb, whose decision will be given in a few days.

The co-operative charities committee for the Old Ladies' Home will hold their first meeting for this fall in Miss Barker's studio (over Burke & Herbert's Bank) tomorrow (Tuesday) at 10 a. m.

Two valuable dogs, belonging to Mrs. Kate Lindsey, were killed at her home near Braddock Heights early last night. A warrant has been sworn out for the person who did the shooting.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Jovite Manufacturing Company was held at the office of Mr. J. M. Johnson in this city this evening for the purpose of electing officers.

Those who visit Rosenfeld's dry goods store tomorrow will be presented with a souvenir. The stock of goods of all kinds is immense and the prices among the lowest.

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the city and will arrange the grounds and give instructions in the game.

Mr. C. C. Pelton reported to the police today that some one stole one hundred dollars from his house last night.

The retail merchants of the city will meet tonight at Schuler's Hall.

The sessions of the City Council will be resumed tomorrow night.

[COMMUNICATED.]

## STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Why not complete Royal street from Prince to King? This block is in bad shape and should be promptly paved to correspond with the improvement surrounding it. Why not utilize the annual tax levied by our City Fathers against the electric railway company for the use of this street (for this improvement). Some doubt exists as to the city ownership of this fund derived from the rent of Royal street. Many persons fully believe that it belongs to the abutting property owners on Royal street from King to Franklin pro rata to their property holding and not to the city of Alexandria. The writer would suggest that in lieu of collecting this annual revenue in cash that the electric railway company (if they will consent) complete this square and that the cost of same be credited by the city on rent account until paid for; and by this plan the whole of Royal street from King to Franklin can be modernized.

CITIZEN.

## Only a Very Few Published.

It is not possible for the proprietors to publish more than a few of the numerous letters received in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy and telling of its remarkable cures. They come from people in every walk in life and from every state in the Union. The following from Mr. T. W. Greathouse, of Prattburg, Ga., speaks for itself: "I would have been dead now but for the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It cured me of chronic diarrhoea after several years of suffering. I can never say too much in praise of that remedy." For sale by Richard Gibson.

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## REAL ESTATE.

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NOTICE OF GENERAL MEETING.—A

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the AMERICAN LOCOMOTIVE AP-

PLIANCE COMPANY will be held at the

company's office, No. 218 King street, at 11

o'clock a. m., on MONDAY, October 27,

1903, to vote upon the proposition to increase

the capital stock of said company to \$100,000.

By order of the Board of Directors,

JOHN MILTON, President.

T. CONRAD DODGE, Secretary.

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ceased, all persons indebted to the said

estate are requested to settle the amount of

their indebtedness without delay, and those

having claims against his estate will present

the same, duly authenticated, for settlement.

ELLEN DOWNEY, Executrix.

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